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ASUM SENATE AGENDA

October 5, 2005

UC332-333 - 6 p.m.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - September 28, 2005

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

5. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- a. Executive Vice President Jim Foley - Media Policy
- b. Confirmation of SPA Director nominee Tom Figarelle
- c. Aber Day Art Contest
- d. Prescription Assistance
- e. Candidate Forums - SPA
- f. Dining Services Food Drive
- g. Washington, D.C. Leadership Summit
- h. Other

6. VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- a. Committee Appointments: ASUM Off-Campus Renter Center ad hoc - John Dawson, Andrea Helling, Rebecca Pettit; Student Health Advisory Board - John Dawson.
- b. KGBA @ 8:30 a.m. Thursday
- c. Tuesday, October 11 - 7:30 a.m. breakfast with President Dennison and a presentation on MPACT. RSVP to x5225 by this Friday if you want to attend.
- d. Senator needed for Traffic Appeals Committee. Meets every other Thursday at 2 p.m.
- e. Other

7. BUSINESS MANAGER'S REPORT

STIP - \$119,911.98

SPECIAL ALLOCATION - \$16,652

ZERO-BASE CARRYOVER - \$119,566.13

- a. SB2-05/06 Resolution for ASUM Funding of Testing Materials for 2005-2006 - \$7,000 (\$0)
- b. SB5-05/06 Resolution for ASUM and MRYV Collaboration - \$3,000 (\$3,000)
- c. PTSA Special Allocation Request - \$1,000 (\$1,000)
- d. Other

8. COMMITTEE REPORTS

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- a. SB9-05/06 Resolution Signing on to the "Stop the Raid on Student Aid" Campaign Opposing H.R.609 and the education cuts in the Budget Reconciliation Bill (seconded motion from SPA Committee)

10. NEW BUSINESS

11. COMMENTS

12. ADJOURNMENT

ASUM SENATE TALLY SHEET

SPA per
Confirmation

DATE

October 5, 2005

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Comments

SENATE MEMBERS

ANDREW BISSELL
JOSH BUCHMAN
JED COX
JOHN DAWSON
DEREK DUNCAN
BRENT EPPERSON
CASSIDY GARDENIER
ANDREA HELLING
DENVER HENDERSON
CASEY HOGUE
CEDRIC JACOBSON
PATRICK JOHNSON
RYAN KNOBLOCH
RYAN NALTY
JESSE PIEDFORT
JAKE PIPINICH
JESSICA PRONGUA
ROSS PROSPERI
BRENT RASMUSSEN
KARI SAMUEL

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ASUM OFFICERS

BRAD CEDERBERG
President
LESLIE VENETZ
Vice-President
VINNIE PAVLISH
Business Manager

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FACULTY ADVISORS

PROFESSOR ANDERSON
PROFESSOR AUSLAND

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ASUM SENATE MINUTES
Wednesday, October 5, 2005
UC332-333 - 6:00 p.m.

Chair Venetz called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Present: Cederberg, Venetz, Pavlish, Bissell, Buchman, Cox (6:07), Dawson, Duncan, Epperson (6:31), Gardenier, Helling, Henderson, Hogue, Jacobson, Johnson, Knobloch, Nalty, Piedfort, Pipinich, Prongua, Prosperi (6:05), Rassmussen (6:31) and Samuel (6:03).

The September 28, 2005, minutes were approved on a motion by **Helling-Duncan**.

Public Comment

*A student spoke in favor of SB9 and asked Senate to support it.

The Chair recognized the presence of Senator Samuel.

*Representatives from Prescription Assist, Inc. distributed a brochure and spoke about the services.

The Chair recognized the presence of Senators Cox and Prosperi.

*A former student body president of FVCC gave his support to SPA Director nominee Tom Figarelle.

*A student suggested that ways should be found to keep school spirit going all year, culminating in Aber Day activities.

*A student expressed personal concerns about the NIKE contract and distributed some information. Executive Vice President Jim Foley told the student he would welcome a visit from him to discuss it.

President's Report

a. Executive Vice President Jim Foley explained the media policy and fielded questions from Senators. He stressed his open door policy and encouraged Senators and other students to take advantage of it.

The Chair recognized the presence of Senators Epperson and Rassmussen.
b. Cederberg thanked the two SPA Director candidates for applying and invited Rikki Gregory to stay involved with ASUM. **Cederberg-Prongua** moved to approve Tom Figarelle as SPA Director. Interview Committee Chair Henderson read and distributed a grievance by committee member Pappas regarding the interview process. A motion by **Knobloch-Jacobson** to move into a five-minute unmoderated caucus met with no objection. After a previous question call by **Duncan** passed, the motion to approve Figarelle's nomination failed 8Y, 14N on a roll call vote (see Tally Sheet). A motion by **Pavlish-Hogue** for an executive restructure of the interview committee passed. Cederberg said there would be a reappointment of interview committee members through the regular process, including Senate approval.

Five-minute break

c. The Aber Day Committee is moving along with plans for activities. Minutes from the meeting are available. There will be an art contest for a t-shirt design for the Aber Day event.

d. Cederberg referred Senators to the brochure on prescription assistance.

e. There will be tabling on Friday concerning city elections.

f. The Dining Services food drive is ongoing.

g. Anyone interested in the D.C. summit should talk to Cederberg.

h. Graphic Services is working on a design for possible promotional items for a Students First campaign.

i. Better communication seems to be needed about game day parking. Some students with decals parked in the Aber lot on game day were towed.

j. Cederberg met with the Drug and Alcohol Advisory Committee to discuss Aber Day activities. A non-alcoholic evening event has been scheduled in the UC ballroom.

Vice President's Report

a. The following committee appointments were approved by Senate: ASUM Off-Campus Renter Ceter ad hoc - Andrea Helling (Chair), John Dawson,

Rebecca Pettit; Student Health Advisory Board = John Dawson; Upper Division Writing - Leslie Venetz.

- b. Senator Cox will represent ASUM on KBGA tomorrow morning.
- c. Senators planning on attending the 7:30 a.m. breakfast next Tuesday for President Dennison's MPACT presentation must call x5225 by this Friday. Also, Senators must RSVP to the game day invitation by this Friday.
- d. Senator Nalty will attend the Traffic Appeals Committee.
- e. Graduate students are needed for committees.

Business Manager's Report

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- a. SB2-05/06 Resolution for ASUM Funding of Testing Materials for 2005-2006 (Exhibit A) received a do not pass recommendation by Budget and Finance. A motion by **Cox-Johnson** to amend the amount to \$7,000 failed. Senate passed the original recommendation.
- b. SB5-05/06 Resolution for ASUM and MRYV Collaboration (Exhibit B) received a do pass recommendation by Budget and Finance. A motion by **Pipinich** to approve by unanimous consent met with no objection.
- c. PTSA Special Allocation request for \$1,000 was recommended for same by Budget and Finance. A motion by **Knobloch** to approve with unanimous consent met with no objection.

Committee Reports

- a. SPA (Johnson) - SB9 received a 7-0-3 do pass recommendation.
- b. Board on Membership (Hogue) - The following groups were approved for ASUM recognition on a motion by **Helling-Duncan**: Circle K, Le Cercle Francophone, Mortar Board, Peer Advising Program, Pre-Veterinary Science Club, Psychology Graduate Student Association, UM Peak, Pack & Paddle Club, UM Women's Hockey, Wa Ya Wa American Indian Education Association.
- c. ASUM Transportation (Piedfort) - Articles have been written about the meetings on the 5th/6th intersections proposal.

Unfinished Business

To see a list of resolutions in their entirety with the action taken on them, please go to: www.edu/asum/government/resolution.htm

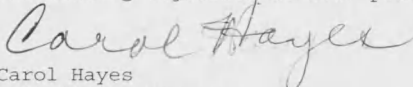
- a. SB9-05/06 Resolution signing on to the "Stop the Raid on Student Aid" Campaign opposing H.R.609 and the Education Cuts in the Budget Reconciliation Bill was postponed on a motion by **Samuel-Epperson**.

New Business

- a. Resolution to amend Bylaws Article IV, Section 9
- b. Resolution on the Missoula city smoking ban in bars
- c. Resolution congratulating the KBGA news director
- d. Resolution eliminating the COT Committee
- e. Resolution to amend Bylaws Article IV

Comments

The meeting adjourned at 9:07 p.m.


Carol Hayes
ASUM Office Manager

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SB2-05/06

Resolution for ASUM Funding of Testing Materials for 2005-2006

Whereas, the supplying of test materials to students would reduce burdens of cost, stress and preparedness and would help hinder cheating by limiting fraudulent bluebooks, etc;

Whereas, the supplying of these test materials will also spread name recognition of the ASUM throughout the student body;

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved that ASUM supply testing materials in the form of scantrons and bluebooks for the student body at no cost, to be divided among the various departments according to need;

Therefore, Let It Be Further Resolved that the funding for the testing materials come from the ASUM Zero-base account in the amount of \$7,000 for the 2005-2006 academic year, after which time ASUM Senate would have the option of renewal.

Authored by: Sen Jedediah D. Cox

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ASUM and MRYV Collaboration

Whereas, the mission statement for the Associated Students of The University of Montana includes striving for excellence as a political body and working diligently toward a more involved student body;

Whereas, the Associated Students of The University of Montana recognize the significance of securing federal dollars to help students pay tuition by connecting their work-study with AmeriCorp Education Awards;

Whereas, Montana Raise Your Voice offers an opportunity to work together in strengthening ASUM as a political body through ongoing trainings, establishing a more involved student body through the encouragement of student service work, and securing AmeriCorps Education Awards.

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved that the Associated Students of The University of Montana allocate 3,000 dollars from the zero-based carryover account to collaborate with Montana Raise Your Voice in order to receive ongoing training and networking opportunities including two statewide conferences - Building Engaged Citizens Sept. 23-25 in Helena, and the Student Training Institute in Kalispell in Spring 2006. More specifically, this collaboration will allow ASUM to leverage federal dollars through AmeriCorps Education Awards.

Authored by: Ross Prosperi, ASUM Senator

Passed
10/05/05